

$$\checkmark \underline{v} = \sqrt{2g \frac{1}{2} \frac{L}{2\pi}} = \underline{\sqrt{\frac{gL}{2\pi}}}$$

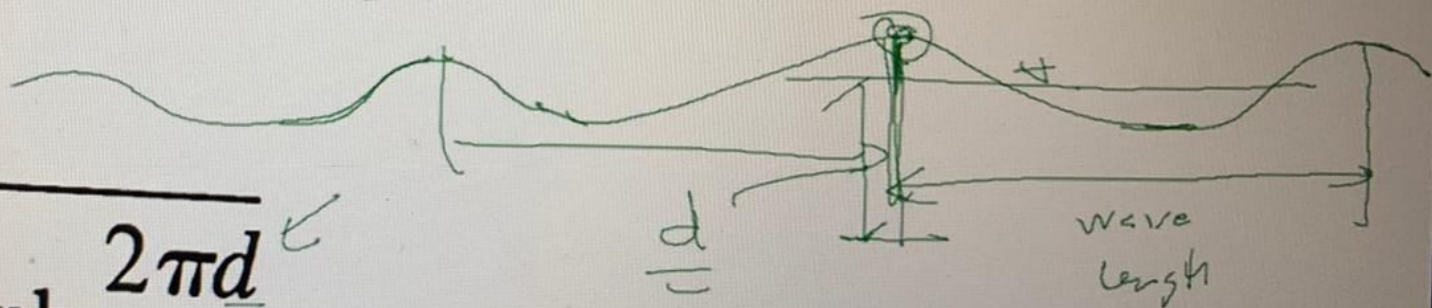
$$d > L/2$$

deep water waves

$$\checkmark v = \frac{L}{T}$$

$$\checkmark v = \underline{\sqrt{gd}}$$

$$d < \frac{1}{25} L \quad (\text{shallow water}) \quad \text{period}$$



$$\rightarrow v = \sqrt{\frac{gL}{2\pi} \tanh \frac{2\pi d}{L}}$$

$$\frac{1}{25} L \leq d \leq \frac{1}{2} L$$

wave
length
(L)

estimating maximum wave heights in inland lakes:

$$H_{\max} = \begin{cases} 0.17\sqrt{UF} \\ 0.17\sqrt{UF} + 2.5 - \sqrt[4]{F} \end{cases}$$

for $F > 20$ miles

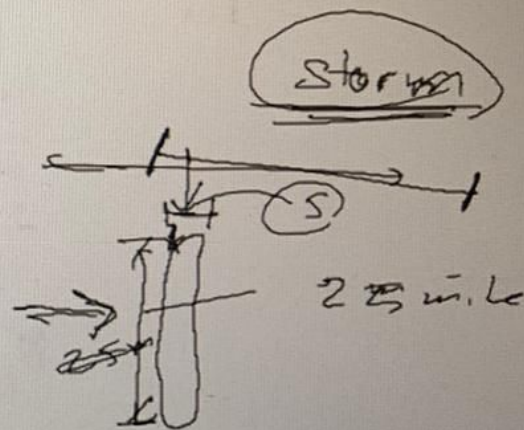
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for $F < 20$ miles

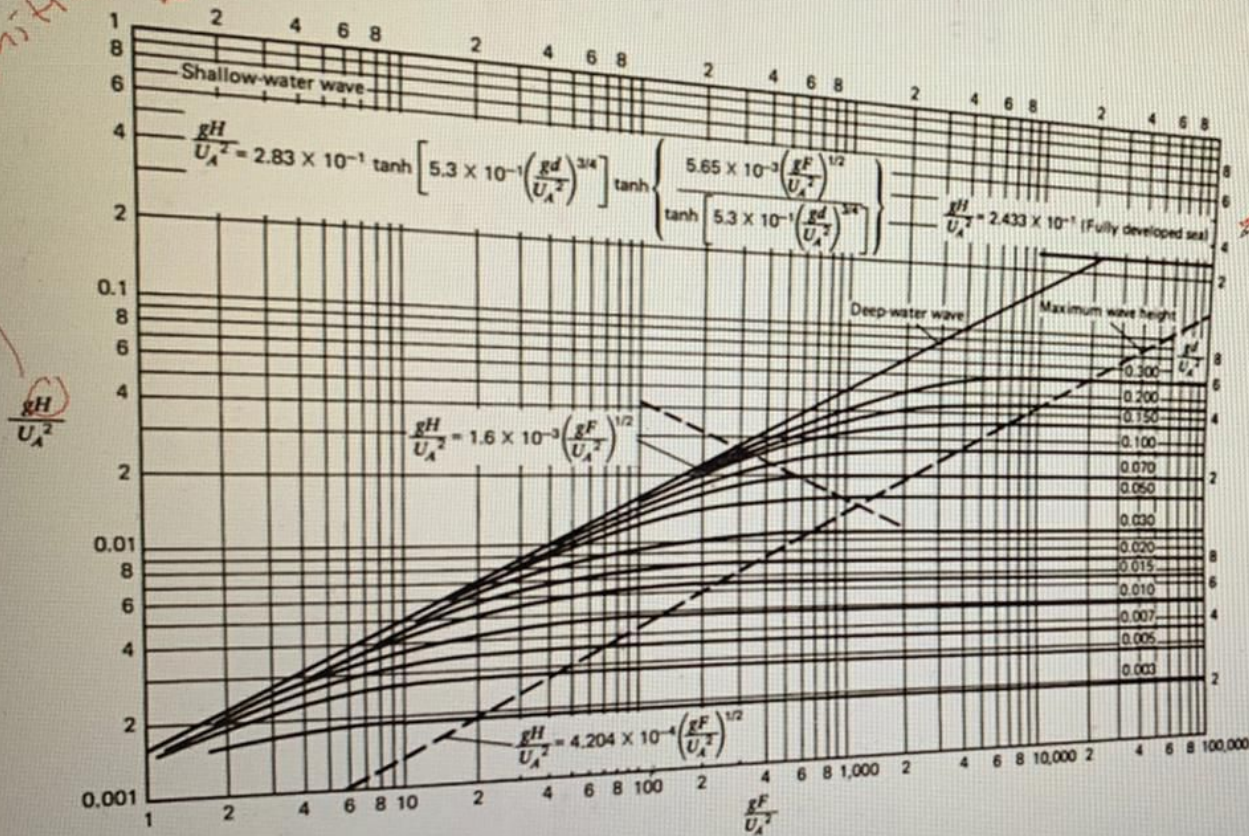
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$H_{\max}$ = maximum wave height, ft
 F = fetch, statute miles
 U = wind velocity, statute mph

✓ 5280 ft



significant wave height



$H_{max} = 1.87 \times \text{significant wave height}$

Figure 19-4 Forecasting curves for wave height. Constant water depth. (Source: Reference 8.)

wind speed

$$U_A = 0.71 U^{1.23}$$

(U in m/s)

(19-9a)

$$U_A = 0.589 U^{1.23}$$

(U in mph)

(19-9b)

do not use

wind stress factor

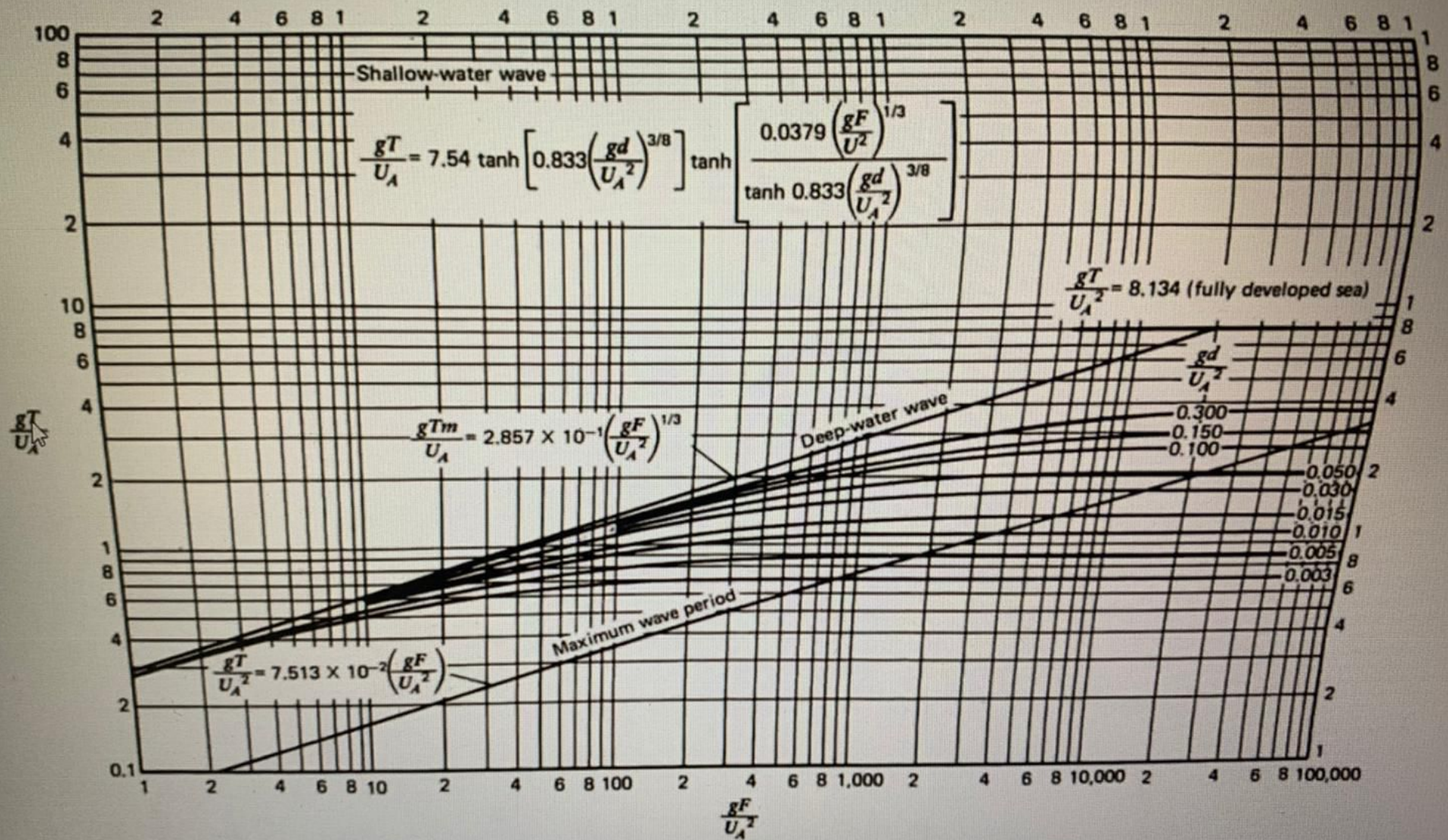


Figure 19-5 Forecasting curves for wave period. Constant water depth. (Source: Reference 8.)

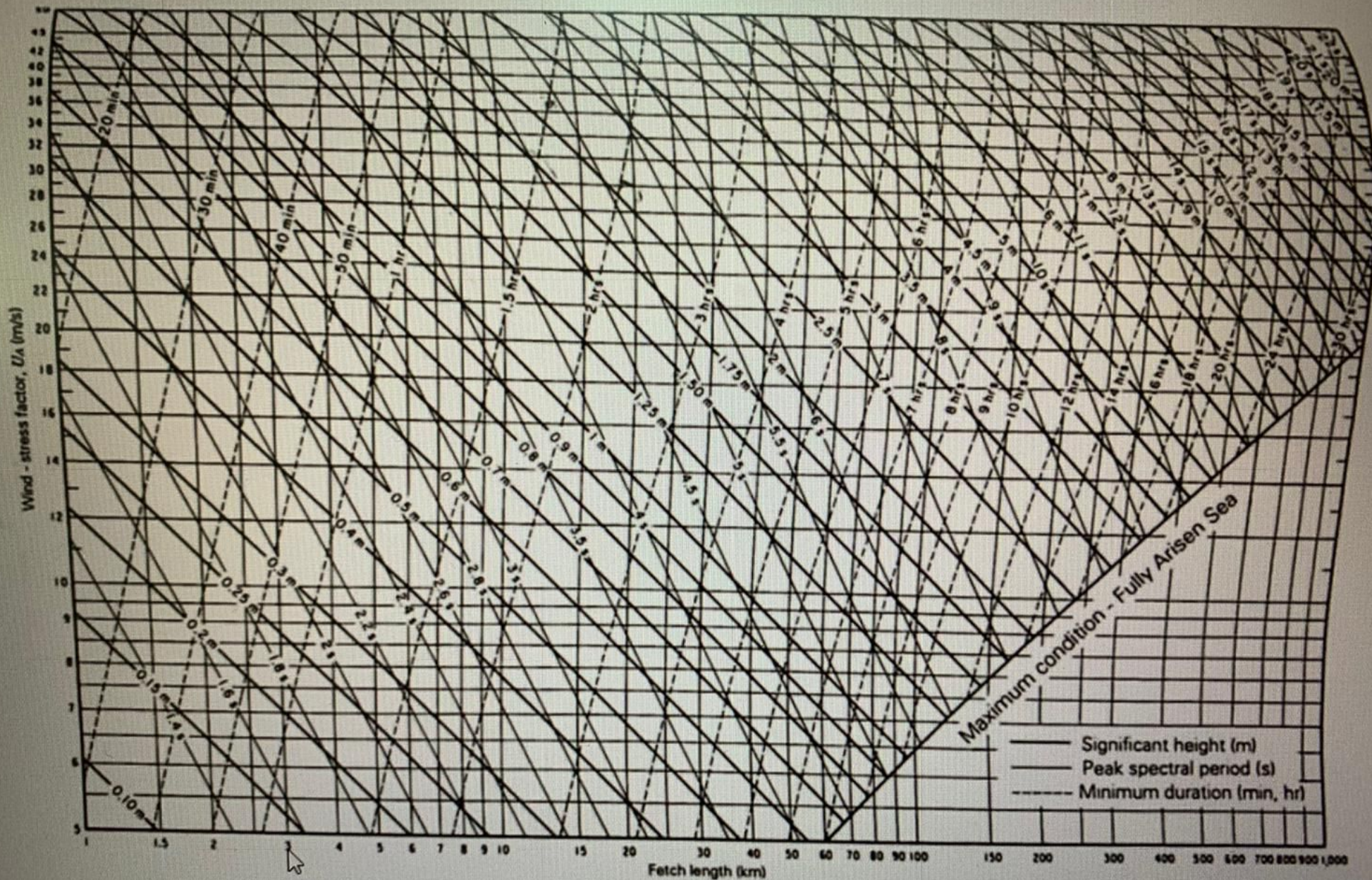


Figure 19-6 Nomogram of deep-water significant wave prediction curves as functions of wind-stress factor, fetch length, and wind duration. (Source: Reference 8.)

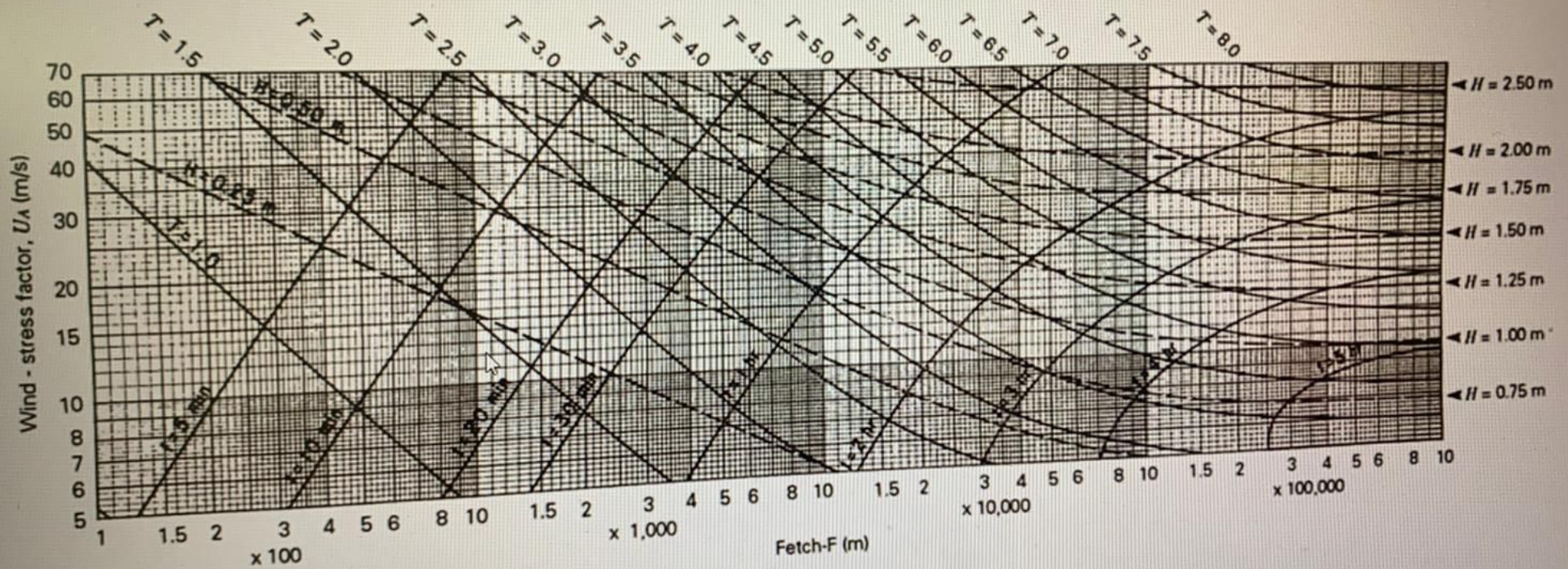


Figure 19-7 Forecasting curves for shallow-water waves with constant depth = 6.0 m. (Source: Reference 8.)

Example 19.1: Given the fetch 15km, wind stress factor 20m/s and mean water depth 6 meters determine the significant wave height and period

$$\frac{g d}{U_A^2} = \frac{(9.8)(6)}{(20)^2} = 0.147$$

$$\frac{g F}{U_A^2} = \frac{(9.8)(15000)}{(20)^2} = 368$$

$$\frac{9.8 H}{20 U_A^2} = 0.025 \Rightarrow H = 1.02 \text{ m}$$

$$\frac{9.8 T}{20 U_A} = 1.0 \Rightarrow T = 3.7 \text{ sec}$$

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$$\frac{9.8H}{20^2} = 0.025 \Rightarrow H = \underline{\underline{1.02 \text{ m}}}$$

$$\frac{9.8T}{20} = 1.0 \Rightarrow T = 3.7 \text{ sec}$$

by Fig 19.7 $H = 1.0 \text{ m}$ check ok
 $T = \underline{\underline{3.6}}$ " "

deep water
Example 19.2: Given a fetch of 25km, a wind stress factor of 18m/s and mean water depth of 10m, determine the significant wave height and period. If the storm that produced the winds lasted only 1.0hr, how would this affect your answer

$$\frac{gd}{U_{A2}^2} = \frac{(9.8)(10)}{18^2} = 0.30$$

$$\frac{gF}{U_{A2}^2} = \frac{(9.8)(25000)}{18^2} = 756$$

$$\text{Fig 19.4 : } \frac{gH}{U_{A2}^2} = 0.037 \Rightarrow H = \underline{\underline{1.22 \text{ m}}}$$

$$\text{Fig 19.5 } \frac{gT}{U_{A2}} = 2.3 \Rightarrow T = \cancel{6.1} = \underline{\underline{4.2}}$$

$$\text{check Fig 19.6, } H = \overset{1.4}{\cancel{4.4}} \text{ check OK}$$

$$T = \underline{\underline{4.7}} \text{ check OK}$$

If storm only lasted 1.0 hour

$$H = 0.65 \text{ m}$$

$$T = 2.8 \text{ sec}$$

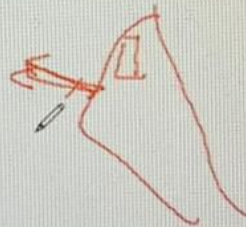
) from Fig 19.6

➤ Current: Caused by wave action by which water particles does return to their original position (from Florida Atlantic coast to England (4mph NE))

➤ Tide: The alternate rising and falling of the water surface caused by gravitational attraction of the sun and moon (twice every lunar day 24 hr and 50 minutes)

Mediterranean ~ 0.5 m

Bay of Fundy ~ 30 m



Physical and Mathematical models (p.596)

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